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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
: Examiner: Unassigned  
Tomomi KAKESHITA, et al. )  
: Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Application No.: 10/626,745 )  
: Filed: July 25, 2003 )  
: For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS ) June 16, 2004  
AND CONTROL METHOD :  
THEREFOR, PROCESS CARTRIDGE )  
AND MEMORY DEVICE :

**Mail Stop Missing Parts**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Sir:

*Erroneously-listed Applicants*

The official Filing Receipt in this application erroneously omits the second named inventor in the above-identified application. The second named inventor is MASANOBU SAITO of Shizuoka, Japan, as seen on the Application Data Sheet that was filed with the application. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that a corrected official Filing Receipt be issued in which the following information is added to the "Applicant(s)" section of the official filing receipt:

--Masanobu Saito, Shizuoka, Japan.--

For the convenience of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Applicants have attached the originally filed Application Data Sheet and have highlighted Mr. Saito's name and address.

*Erroneously-listed Priority Information*

The official Filing Receipt also provides an incorrect application number for the first-listed foreign priority application. More specifically, the official Filing Receipt incorrectly lists the first foreign application as "JAPAN 2002-216938 07/25/2002". The correct number for the first foreign application is 2002-216940, as can be seen from the Application Data Sheet, the Submission of Priority Documents, and the priority document itself.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request the issuance of a corrected official Filing Receipt in which:

"JAPAN 2002-216938 07/25/2002"

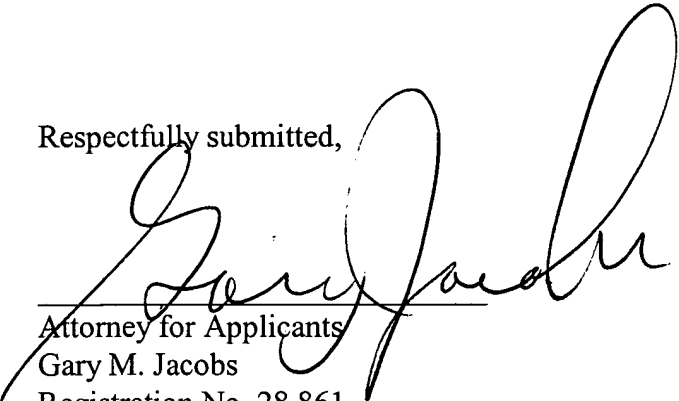
has been changed to

--JAPAN 2002-216940 07/25/2002--.

For the convenience of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Applicants have attached the originally filed Application Data Sheet, the Submission of Priority Documents, and a copy of the first page Japanese application no. 2002-216940 that was submitted with the Submission of Priority Documents.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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